M'GINNITY IN GREAT FORM. HIS PITCHING HELPS BROOKLYN TO WHITEWASH PITTSBURG.

Champions Take the First Game at the Smoky City and Increase Their Lead -Chicago Blanks New York-Boston De feats St. Louis and the Cincinnatis Win.

With Joe McGinnity, the "Iron Man," in the box, the champion Brooklyns whitewashed the Pittsburgs yesterday in the first game of a series that appears to have a direct bearing on the final result of the pennant race. Hanlon's men increased their lead over the Pitts burgs to 86 points, but they still have two more games to play in that city. The New York tail-enders were shut out by Chicago, which makes their fourth straight defeat and lowers them into the 300 class again. The Cincinnatis outplayed the Philadelphias, who are now in unger of losing third place. Boston got away with St. Louis and may pass Chicago under avorable circumstances. The results:

Brooklyn, 8; Pittsburg, 0. Chicago, 2: New York, 0.

Boston, 8; St. Louis, 1. Cincinnati, 6; Philadelphia. 3. THE RECORD.

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PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 16.-The Pirates were easy victims of McGinnity's peculiar underhand delivery to-day. Not at any stage of the hand delivery to-day. Not at any stage of the game did they have the sightest chance of winding. For eight innings only six of Clarke's men reached first and not one got as far as second. In the ninth O'Brien led off with a hit and went to second on Williams's single, which came after Wagner had been retired. Ritchey hit sharply to Daly and the game was ended by a speedy double play at second and first. The score:

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CHICAGO, 2: NEW YORK, 0. CHICAGO, 2: NEW YORK, 0.
CHICAGO, Aug 18. The New Yorks could not hit driffith to-day and although Mercer pitched excellent bail and received good support Chicago won. There was never a stage of the struggle in which New York was dangerous and when men were on bases rapid double plays destroyed what little hope remained. Chicago played brilliantly in defensive, McCormick and Chicago played to the property of the property of the property of the property of the property would have been much larger. The score:

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.....0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 ..-2 Two-base hit-Ganzel. Stolen base-Davis. First base on errors-Chicago, 2. Struck out-By Mercer, 3. First base on balls-Off Mercer, 1; off Griffith, 2. Double plays-Green and Ganzel. Childs, McCormick and Ganzel. (2): Smith and Doyle. Left on bases-Chicago, 4; New York, 3. Hit by pitched ball-Chance. Umpire-Swartwood. Time-1 hour and 30 minutes. BOSTON, 3: ST. LOUIS, 1.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 16.—Boston began here to-day and fter a battle royal with the local team won. The

BOSTON. ST. LOUIS.

Totals ... 1 6 24 7 1 Batted for Jones in the eighth inning. Two-base hits—Heidrick Hamilton. Three-base hits—Duffy, Lowe. First base on balls—Off Dineen, 1. Struck out—By Dineen, 2; by Jones. 2. -tolen bases—Burkett, (2) Donovan. Umpire—Hurst. Time—1 hour and 45 minutes. Attendance—2 100.

CINCINNATI, 6; PHILADELPHIA, 3, CINCINNATI, 6; PHILADELPHIA, 3.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 16.—The Cincinnatis bunched their hits te-day off Frazer and won a good game from the Philadelphias. For six innings the score was close, but in the seventh the Reds made two singles and as many doubles, which with Lajole's error and Frazer's wild pitch, gave the locals a commanding lead. Frazer and Thomas started a snort raily in the ninth with a brace of doubles. Crawford made a good one-handed catch off Lajole's bat. The crowd was the smallest of the season, partly owing to threatened rain. The score:

Totals..... 3 8 24 11 2 Totals..... 6 11 27 12 1 Two-base hits—Steinfeldt (2). Beckley (3). Lajote, Fraser, Thomas. Three-base hits—Murphy. Wolver-ton. Stolen bases—Thomas, Murphy. Sacrifice hits—Thomas, Steinfeldt. Struck out—By Breitenstein, 3. by Fraser, 4. First base on balls—Off Breitenstein, 6: ff Fraser, 3. Hit by pitcher—By Breitenstein, 1. Wild pitch—Frazer. Umpire—Emsile.

American League At Milwaukee Milwaukee, 3: Chicago, 3. At Buffalo—Indianapolis, 5; Buffalo, 2. At Cleveland—Detroit, 2; Cleveland, 0.

Eastern League. it Hartford—Hartford, 2: Syracuse, 0.
it Springfield—First game—Springfield, 8: Rocher, 6. Second, game—Hochester, 4: Springfield, 3.
it Worcester—First game—Worcester, 5: Toronto, Second game—Toronto, 8: Worcester, 5.
it Providence—Montreal, 3; Providence, 1.

Interstate League. At Newcastle—Newcastle, 8; Manafield, 1. At Fort Wayne—Fort Wayne; 2: Wheeling, 1. At Columbus—Columbus, 2: Toledo, 4. At Marlon—Marlon, 1; Dayton, 5.

New York State League At Binghamton—Binghamton, 5; Utica, 6. At Cortland—Cortland, 2; Albany, 4. At Elmira, 2: Schenectady, 4. At Rome—Rome, 8; Troy, 5.

Connecticut State League. At Waterbury-Waterbury, 14: Norwich, 8. At Meriden -New London, 2: Meriden, 1. At Bridgeport-Bridgeport, 9: New Haven, 6. At Bristoi-Bristoi, 6: Derby, 6.

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ATIONAL LEAGUE AND AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. Brooklyn at Pittsburg, Boston at St Louis, Phila-delphia at Cincinnati.

EASTERN LEAGUE Montreal at Worcester, Toronto at Providence, ochester at Hartford, Syracuse at Springfield.

Baseball Notes. Loyola A. A. have Sept. 16 and 30 and all 173 in October open for teams offering liberal nices. Address. R. F. McMahon, 173 East 100 and 173 East

The Howards, who have defeated suchlicams as the tookign F. C. Skellys, Empires and other strong ams, will, on next Sunday, play the Alerts on the steril grounds at East New York. A freat deal of interest is being taken as to the outcome of the annual basebalt game between the Orange Athletes and the Englewood F. C., which will be played on the Orange Oval to-morrow aftenoon. Considerable rivalry exists between the two files and the players will exert themselves to their utmost to win.

DAY WARNS THE BALL PLAYERS. Not Against Rowdylsm, but Concerning The

New Protective Associatio John B. Day, Inspector of Umpires and Supervisor of Players in the National League of Professional Baseball Clubs, has sent out a letter addressed to the members of the Protective Association of Baseball Players which reads as follows:

I have been heralded for twenty years as a friend of the ball player; I feel that I am a friend of the ball player, and because I am I wish to say a few words to the players regarding their proposed Protective

Boys, don't complete the organization now, th times are not propitious; conditions are not favorable. The League would not and could not negotiate with any organization of its players. The damage don by the Brotherhood has not been forgotten by the

any organization of its players. The damage done by the Brotherhood has not been forgotten by the League. The game has not recovered from the injury it sustained nor have the players as yet fully atoned for that most unwise and disastrous movement.

I am firmly convinced that if the League had to choose between meeting a secret organization of its players and the destruction of all its baseball property, the torch would be freely applied in seven of the League cities, and that in the other city, Philadelphia, dynamite would be just as freely used to level to the ground the grand pavilion, massive outer walls, clubhouse and field stands of that elegant ball park.

The Brotherhood was formed under just as plausible auspices as you are now employing, but think for a moment of the diaastrous results. The game would undoubtedly survive another and similar onslaught, but it is doubtful if either the League or the players could. If you complete the proposed organization and secure the players from the Eastern and American leagues, and secure grounds and financial backing, the League would drive you to the wall in three months by filling its ranks from such players as you leave out who would with League training and League money take your place and make good in that time. How much more reasonable it would be if you feel oppressed by the present rules if the players from each club would appoint a delegate from the club's players to meet the League at its next annual meeting, go over the rules in a friendly way, and see what can be accomplished for your releft.

I am sure the League would willingly meet such a delegation, would discuss propositions with you fully and fairly and possibly you would secure all you ask for in the way of reform. I appeal to the level-headed players of the League, and this applies to at least nine out of every ten players to support me and to restrain the more impetuous players from again attempting to destroy our great national game.

The management should formulate just rules, players should

and in the League and in the players justifies me in writing it.

While Mr. Day appears to be exercised over the future welfare of the national game, as Chief of Umpires and Supervisor of Players he carefully refrains from commenting on the rowdyism that has dragged baseball down. Mr. Day has made no public statement concerning the assault upon Umpire Emille committed by Jack Dovle of the New Yorks; not a word relative to the rough-and-tumble fight between Wolverton of Philadelphiand McGann of St. Louis; he has ignored the threat of Hawley of New York to annihilate a spectator in Pittsburg with a rock and also the throwing of a handful of dirt in the umpire's face by Daly, the Brooklyn second haseman.

TROUBLE AMONG BALL PLAYERS. Philadelphia Team May Withdraw as a Re

sult of the McGann-Welverton Fight. CINCINNATI, Aug. 16 .- There is trouble in the Protective Association of Baseball Players, ·ish the prospect of the Philadelphia team windrawing from it. It will be recalled that there was a fight at St. Louis the other day between McGann of the St. Louis team and Wolverton of the Phillies. The scrap was Welverton of the Phillies. The scrap was the result of an alleged attempt on the part of Wolverton to spike McGann. The latter then hit Wolverton on the head wish the ball and a general mixup followed. The members of the Philadelphia team declare that McGann was entirely in the wrong and they have prepared a demand on the association to cancel McGann's card in the association, with the withdrawal of the entire Philadelphia team suggested as an alternative. This document has been forwarded to Secretary Jennings with a request that speedy action be taken in the matter. The St. Louis of Philadelphia with a request that either St. Louis of Philadelphia will withdraw from the Association. Capt. Delehanty of the Philadelphia team said to-day that McGann's attack on Wolverton was entirely malicious. "I saw McGann stripped in the clubhouse after the game and there was not a scratch on his foot to show that Wolverton was a most cowardly act and we will not stand for it. Wolverton simply tripped over McCann's foot in going down to first and injured himself more than he did McCann." the result of an alleged attempt on

good ball would be appreciated. Ashley Lloyd, partner of Brush in the Cincinnati club, says he wants to get out of baseball in Porktown, too, because of the pen and ink cannonade that has been levelled at the club all season. Brush says that the Cincinnati club lost \$11,000 last year and that double that sum will be dropped this season. He declares that he has put out big money for playing talent which has not made good. Further, it is reported, that Brush is about to remove his manager, Bob Allen, and will place the Reds in the hands of Watkins, who has been running the Indianapolis tram since he left the Pittsburg club. A transfer of the Cincinnatis to Washington on the face of it seems both improbable and impossible, as it would leave the circuit unbalanced.

HINKEY WILL NOT COACH YALE. The Former Football Captain Says Business

Prevents-Other Reasons Ascribed. TONAWANDA, N. Y., Aug. 16.-Despite the announcement that he would assist Walter Camp and McBride in coaching Yale's eleven this fall, Frank A. Hinkey, former captain of Yale, and the man who led that team to victory in 1894-95, declares positively that he will have nothing to do with the sons of Eli. "You can say that I certainly will not go to New Haven this fall," said he to the correspondent of The Sun, with considerable asperity. "I cannot afford to neglect my business any more to coach a football team. Every year about this time this story gets started, but there is nothing in it. I am going to remain at home and attend to business." Such are Hinkey's reasons for not answering the call of his old team, but other people whaper other reasons. Some say that he is piqued because Camp and McBride are given precedence over him, and that he will not consent to be an understudy to men whom he regards as no more than his equals. Others who know Hukey declare that financial considerations govern him and that he was not treated well by the manaxement of the Yale team when he went to its assistance in rast years. But whatever his reasons, Hinkey does not seem to take the slightest interest in the affairs of Yale. He refuses positively to discuss the outlook for the New Haven eleven. But it is easily seen that he does not take a cheerful view of it. It is said that Hinkey does not agree with McBride and Camp on methods. He is quoted as saying that "Successful football playing consists in being able to break the rules scientifically." Some who know Hinkey will say that business reasons only restrain him from going to New Haven. dent of THE SUN, with considerable asperity.

WINDERMERE, Aug. 16. The regatta of the American Canor Association was concluded to-day at Big dand, Lake Rosseau. The weather was favorable, there being a good sailing breeze from the southwest, but the races did not attract much attention as no special interest attached to any one, all the championship events having been decided. There are yet one or two special prizes not awarded which may be raced for to-morrow. The most important event of the day was the sating race, open canoes, one and a half miles, and charles E. Archbald added another trophy to his large collection by winning it with ease. McTargart of New York was second. A fours paddling race, open canoes, was paddled at Port Carling for a special prize given by the citizens of that place. The race was won by the Britannia Bay four, who were the winners of the association championship in that class. It has been decided that the Northern or Canadian division will hold the meet next year, probably on the St Lawrence, and the Commodore accordingly will be chosen from that division. Tiley of Toronto has declined office and Button of Gananoque is now the most prominent candidate. Summaries: special interest attached to any one, all the prominent canalante summaries;
Ladies' Hand Paddling—One-eighth of a mile—Won
by Miss Jessie Ames, Lowell, Mass.: Miss Sarah
Ames, Lowell, Mass.: second.
Stilling, Open Canocs—One and a half miles—Won
by Charles E. Archbald, Royal Canadian Yacht Club;
G. W. McTaggart, New York Canoc Club, second:
E. McNichol, Toronio Canoc Club, third.

Lavigne and Erne May Meet Again. Kid Lavigne yesterday received a letter rom his brother, Billy, to the effect that the from his brother, sany, to the enect that the former lightweight champion has been practically matched to box Frank Erne twenty rounds at Cleveland the latter part of next month. The kid was much pleased over the prospect of a contest with the man who wrested his title from him and is setting into shape. Lavigne says that he is feeling well and hopes to beat kerne. LADY SCHORR THE WINNER. ESHER FILLY BEATS A SMART FIELD

FOR THE MUMM HANDICAP.

Gala Day at Saratoga Despite a Heavy Track -Bannockburn Wins for the Third Time in Succession-Diver Reappears at the Jump. ing Game and Wins in a Gallop-Entries

SARATOGA, Aug. 16 .- The largest crowd of the season was present at the racetrack this afternoon. It was Garden Party day and the clubhouse and the lawn were thronged with guests of the management.

The heavy rain of this morning had made

he track worse than ever and there were many scratches. The main event of the day was the Mumm Handicap of \$5,000, for two-yearolds, with six starters. Lady Schorr and Alard Scheck were from the stable of J. F. Schorr, and were joint favorites at 3 to 5. Pittsburg Phil made the circuit of the ring betting on Maximus, while Rivenoak was backed from 50 to 1 to 20 to 1, and the Musketeer from 10 to 1 o 5 to 1. Lady Schorr went right to the front and won, ridden out, by a length and a half. The other big event was the Saratoga Hunt Cup. Higbie opened favorite at 7 to 10, but receded to even money when Diver was backed from 5 to 2 to 6 to 5. The race was only a gallop for Diver, who led all the way and won by thirty engths from Champion. Diver bolted at the stand jump the second time around and Champlon got within three lengths of him. Veitch rode over the next jump with his feet out of the stirrups, but then fixed them and Diver drew away. Higbie and The Cad fell at the first Jump.

The first event had only three starters with Bannockburn an odds-on favorite and he won his third successive race, pulled up, by a length. Only four of the eight named ran in the second race with Compensation and Favon-ius equal favorites at 2 to 1. Bullman landed ius equal favorites at 2 to 1. Bullmau landed his second winner on Compensation, who went to the front at the end of the first half and won easily by a length from Radford. There were many good things among the ten that ran in the fourth race. Gala Day and Terrorist closed equal favorites while Epigram was backed from 80 to 1 to 10 to 1 and Cupidity from 10 to 6 to 1. Lotter led to the stretch and then Cyrano and Lady Contrary moved up and fluished heads apart.

Ferry Belmont's crack horse, Ethelbert, while being worked this morning stepped on a stone and pulled up lame. Summary:

FIRST RACE. For three-year-olds and upward; by subscrip-tion of \$10 each to the winner; with \$406 added, of which \$60 to second and \$40 to third; weights 7 pounds below the scale; penalties; one mile:
B. Schreiber's br. b. Bannockburn, 5, by Hayden
Edward—Bettie Blaise, 126 (Builman)
L. Waterbury's ch. b. Intrusive, 5, 119 (Burns)
James Arthur's br. c. Hood's Brigade, 3 109 (Free-

Beiting -Five to 2 against Bannockburn, 11 to 5 intrusive, 60 to 1 Hood a Brigade.

SECOND RACE.

Gonfalon also ran.
Time, 2:00!4.
Betting—Two to 1 against Compensation, 7 to 2
Radford, 2 to 1 Favonius, 5 to 1 Gonfalon. THIRD RACE.

THIRD BACE.

The Mumm Handleap for two-year-olds: by subscription of 550 each or \$25 if declared by June 1; starters to pay \$50 additional: sufficient money added to make the value of the stake \$5,000, of which \$1.000 to second and \$500 to third: six furings:

J. F. Scharr's b. f. Lady Schorr, by Esher-War Manile, 110 (O'Connor).

Daniel & Farreil's b. c. The Musketeer, 105 (Henry) 2

J. F. Schorr's br. c. Alard Scheck, 126 (Burns).

Tammany Chief, Maximus and Rivenosk also ran.

Time, 1:1794.

Betting-Five to 3 on Lady Schorr and Alard Scheck, coupled as the Schorr entry, 5 to 1 against The Musketeer, 15 to 1 Tammany Chief, 7 to 2 Maximus.

20 to 1 Rivenosk.

FOURTH RACE.

For all ages, non winners since July 6; by subscrip-

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Third Race-For four-ye	ear-olds and upward; sell-
The Burlington Route 103 Crossmolina A	Dollie Weithoff 92 Elsie Barnes 92 Spurs 89
Fourth Race-Handleap	one mile and 85 yards:
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At Highland Park. DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 16.—It was a bad day for fav prites at Highland Park to-day and the trouble start d when Matlock, the almost prohibitive favorite in the first race, slipped his halter while being saddled, jumped the fence and bolted for the Canadian side of the river, six miles away He had not been caught by the time the races ended. Summary: First Race-Seven furlongs-Fessy F. 102 (A. Weber), 7 to 10, won: Passaic, 107 (McQuade), 2 to 1, second: Viola K, 105 (Landry), 15 to 1, third. Time, second: Viola K, 103 (Landry), 10 to 1, third. 11ms, 1:29%.
Second Race—Four and a half furiongs—Lady Edith, 103 (Landry), 4 to 1, wen: Toad Raney, 103 (Castro), 8 to 5, second: Siroiston, 109 (Coburn), 8 to 1, third. Time, 0:38% Third Race—Six furiongs—Terminus, 85 (J. Daly), 6 to 5, won: Sweet Caporol, 11 (Coburn), 3 to 5, second: Cherry Head, 104 (A. Webber), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:15%
Pourth Race—One mile—Lady of the West, 107 (A. Webber), 3 to 2, won: Baffled, 02 (J. Daly), 9 to 5, second: Magog, 98 (L. Thompson), 100 to 1, third. Time, 1:42% second; Magog, 95 (L Thompson), 100 to 1, third. Time, 1:42½

Fifth Race—Six furlengs—Left Bower, 104 (J. Daly), 11 to 5, won; Nancy Till, 103 (Landry), 2 to 1, second; Rey Salazar, 105 (McQuade), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:15.

Sixth Race—Six furlongs—Jucoma, 407 (C Wilson), 3 to 1, won; Sack Hen, 97 (Webber), 3 to 1, second; Queen Anne, 102 (Coburn), 10 to 1, third. Time 1:15.

At Windsor WINDSOR, Aug. 17.—The handleap for two year-olds, five furiongs, was the event of the sixth race card at Windsor to-day, but the race proved a walk-over for Battus, on whom the books only offered Z to 5. Summary: Summary:
 First Race—Seven furiongs—Rebecca Wells, 103 (Harshberger), 4 to 1, won: Momentum, 112 (Hewitt), 5 to 2, second; Cousin Letty, 105. (Miller), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1304;
 Second Face—Six furiongs—Corder, 104 (J. Martin), 8 to 1. forn; Sevey, 100 (Irving), 6 to 1, second; Dousterswivel, 111 (E. Robertson), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:16. Time, 1:16.
Third Race—Five (urlongs—Battus, 115 (Miller), tren, won; Regina Lee, 106 (H. Wilson). 7 to 2, second; Pine Chip, 98 (Harshberger), 6 to 1, third. second: Pine Chip, 98 (Harshberger), 6 to 1, third.
Time, 1:04
Fourth Race—Five and one-half furiongs—Bummer, 1:08 (J. Martin), 7 to 2 won; Expelied, 1:06
(Hicks) 5 to 1, second; Acushia, 1:06 (B. Robertson),
3 to 1, third. Time, 1:08.
Fith Race—Steeplechase, short course—Mavourneen, 1:30 (W. Jehnson), 12 to 1, won; Slasher, 1:33
(Hi-gins), 7 to 2, second; Lord Farandole, 1:60 (C. Brown), 8 to 8, third. Time, 2:58.
Sixth Race—One and one-sixteenth miles—Topmast, 1:11 (Martin), 1: to 5, won; Beauldeal, 1:11
(Flint), 5 to 1, second; Miss Soak, 1:07 (Müler), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:50.

Louis, Aug. 16.-The races to-day resulted as follows:
First Race—Six and a half furiongs—Very Light, 105 (Dominick) 5 to 1, won; Elsie Venner, 95 (Dale), 5 to 1, second; Sangamon, 110 (Failchy), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1 2334;
Second Race—One mile—Kitty Clyde, 96 (Dale), 9 to 5, won; Terry Ranger, 103 (Van Dusen), 15 to 1, second; Waldeck, 101 (Dominick), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:4434.
Third Race—Six furiongs—Orieans, 103 (Dominick), 8 to 5, won; Seething, 97 (Dale), 7 to 1, second; Quick Range, 105 (Gilmore), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:1554.

Mathews), 2 to 1, won; St. Cuthbert, 105 (Fallehy), 6 to 5, second: Triaditza, 105 (J. T. Woods), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1135.

Fifth Race—One mile and a sixteenth—Col. Gay, 107 (Frost), 11 to 5, won; Chorus Boy, 104 (E. Mailioto I, third. Time, 13054.

Sixth Race—Six and a half furlongs—Free Lady, 105 (Glimore), 7 to 10, won; La Mascotta, 165 (J. T. Woods, 16 to 1, second; Chemisette, 105 (Dominick), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:2334.

HARNESS HORSE CAMPAIGN.

JOE PATCHEN ENJOYING A WEEK'S RESPITE AT GOSHEN.

Trainer Dickerson Says the Grand Old Pacer Is Going Better Than Ever—Why Eckers Did Not Drive Geraldine in the M. and M.

At Harlem.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—The track at Harlem was deep in mud and fully 15 seconds slow to-day and under such circumstances good sport was out of the ques-tion. Summary: Hon. Summary:

Pirss Race—Four and a half furlongs—Sad Sam,
109 (W. Jones), 5 to 1, won; Woodstick, 106 (Tailey),
12 to 1, accound; Shut Up, 109 (Winkfield), 5 to 2
third. Time, 50 4-5

Second Race—One mile and 20 yards—Etta, 106
(Tailey), 44 to 1, won; The Unknown, 111 (Bloss), 6
to 5, second; Nobleman, 122 (Kfley), 5 to 2, third.
Time, 1:53 (Tailey), 445 to 1, won; The Unknown, 111 (Bloss), 4 to 5, second; Nobleman, 122 (Kiley), 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:53.

Third Race—One mile—Obsidian, 104 (Tailey), 4 to 1, won; J. T. 104 (Kinkh:1, 7 to 2, second; Blue Dan, 106 (Winkh:1d), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:50, Fourth Race—Prairie Stakes; one mile and a sixteenth—Great Bend, 107 (Dupee), 4 to 5, won; Ohnet, 94 (McGinn), 10 to 1, second; Macy, 107 (Bergen), 7 to 2, third: Time, 1:56.

Fifth Race—One mile—Josephine B., 104 (Tailey), 9 to 2, won; Lennep, 106 (Bloss), 7 to 1, second; Banish, 106 (McGinn), 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:49 4.5.

Sixth Race—One mile—Pittail, 108 (Dupee), 8 to 1, won; Martha Fox, 99 (Section), 10 to 1, second; Marton Lynch, 90 (Tailey), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:53 1-5.

W. C. Whitney's Futurity Possibilities.

SARATOGA, Aug. 16. - John E. Madden will ship his string of horses and those of W. C. Whitney in his charge to Sheepshead Bay to morrow. Ballyhoo Bey and Elkhorn, who will carry Whitney's colors in the Futurity, are in grand shape, and Madden fully expects to see Elkhorn down Cap and Bells and Olympian, who, according to followers of the turf, have the race cornered for their owners, J. R. and F. P. Keene. Elkhorn has worked very fast here, far better than any of the candidates which are quartered at the track, and there are many who hope to see him win the big race for his owner, who is one of the best supporters of the turf.

Wants James R. Keene and William C. Whitney to Send Horses to California.

SAN PRANCISCO, Aug. 16 .- On the authority of ecting Mayor Joseph Tobin the purchase by Prince Pontatowski of the controlling interests in Ingleside and Tanforan racetracks is conin Ingleside and Tanioran Facetracks is con-firmed. Prince Poniatowski as the chief officer of two big tracks will try to cooperate with Janes R. Keene and William C. Whitney in the East. He intends to go East shortly to induce them to send horses here to race.

strong and next with Jeff Thorne. Mothers stood children on tables and held them up to see the minic tight, and little girls who at first were afraid to look got excited and were "rooting for one or the other men before the bouts ended. As for the small boy, he screamed and whistled so shrilly that conversation was difficult. On the whole, the unusual crowd seemed as appreciative of the fast and clever boxing as a crowd of veteran sports and although it was only practice work for the men it was as good an explication as frequently is seen at hig benefits in the Garden. The women and children drifted away as dark approached and then the wheelmen appeared in force and took possession. It was a novel affair and altogether a very successful one. It was arranged by Charles T. Earl, the amateur racer, of the Kings County Wheelmen.

The settlement of the question of superiority between the rival members of the police "bike squad" seems to be as far distant as ever. Roundsman John Scheussler of New York and Patrolman Charles Haussler of Brooklyn have each received special permission to meet in a race, but the contest has not been arranged although both declare themselves willing and anxious. Haussler told a reporter of The Sun that he was so anxious for the matter to be decided that he would ride without a stake. Last night a new apprant for the championship announced himself in the following letter:

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN—Sir: As there is to be no race between Roundsman Scheussier of the New York "bike squad," and Officer Haussier of the Brooklyn squad, it would give me great pleasure to meet Roundsman Scheussier for the championship, the race to be the best two out of three, one mile heats. Respectfully yours.

JOHN J. WATERS.

Waters is a member of the New York 'bike squad,' and is known to be a speedy rider.

A telegram was received here yesterday, announcing the death on Wednesday of F. P. Van Valkenburg of Milwaukee, who was one of the leading workers for the L. A. W. in Wisconsin. He served on the Racing Board and, as a chief consul, was prominent in the national councils. His death was said to be due to hay fever.

O. B.—You can join the L. A. W. by sending \$2 and an application, indorsed by two reputable citizens, to Secretary-Treasurer John F. Clark, 132 Nassau street, New York. The initiation fee is \$1: the annual dues are 75 cents and the subscription to the L. A. W. monthly is 25 cents a year, this last being optional. All riders should aid in the L. A. W. work. The Century Road Club is peculiarly an organization to promote road riding, especially centuries. The initiation fee is \$1, the annual dues \$1.50 and century bars, after being cented, cost 50 cents each. For C. R. C. information address C. C. Wylander, 48 Charles street, New York.

The Kings County C. C. treated an eleven of the Manhattan C. C. to a surprise yesterday at Prospect Park, and would have scored a victory over their more powerful neighbors had there been time left to finish the game. As it was, they had decidedly the best of a drawn came. G. W. Barnes started the King's County's good work, and he made a prolonged stand for the third wicket with C. T. Hole. The last named ventually secured top score of the match with a bard hit innings of 46, while Barnes's contribution amounted to 35. G. C. Boxill also played in good form for 32, not out, and the innings was declared closed with seven wickets down for 145. H. E. S. Adams and H. Nothsur did the best betting for Manhattan, while A. J. Gray and F. J. Prendergast succeeded in playing out time. The score:

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W. Buicher, b. D.
Boxill.
A. J. Gray, not out .
F. J. Prendergast, G. Jeunnott, b. Noth-] J. Seale, Did Challenger. Lot lierrigan. bat. not out.
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Football .votes. The St. Alphoneus football cieven are now ready to book games with all teams averaging 145 pounds; and also would like to book games with all teams averaging 126 pounds. Will offer a reasonable guarter. Address Edward F. McGlli, 285 Hudson street.

Did Not Drive Geraldine in the M. and M Stakes at Detroit - Arion to Race Again. John Dickerson, the energetic pilot of that grand old pacer, Joe Patchen, 2:01%, came to town yesterday from Goshen, the home of the American trotter, for a short respite from his exciting campaign work and incidentally to learn something about the classes and conditions for the meetings at Charter Oak Park, Hartford and at the Empire City track. He has some of his campaigning string entered in the closed events at Hartford and expects to make entries in the open events. The king of his stable, Joe Patchen, is engaged at Allentown, Pa., during the Hartford Grand Circuit meeting, but the black horse may be started in the free-for-all pace at Empire City track. Dickerson is laying off this week at Goshen. He says that both himself and the horses are thoroughly enjoying their return to the home

Patchen's name is mentioned. "Why," said he, "the old horse is going games and better than he ever did in his life. Like good wine, he improves with age. You know he used to be quite sluggish and had to be urged to his speed, but he is not that way now. Not a bit of it. He is so gay that I have to restrain him in his work, and he fools me at that. He actually wants to pace away with me. I was giving him a work out the first of this week on the Goshen track, and thought I would let him go a mile in about 2:12 or 2:15. He breezed along to the first half in 1:00, and it was only play for him. Then he concluded he would rate himself, I guess, for he went the next half much to my surprise, for I had no idea he was going so fast, in 1:01%, the last quarter in 80 econds. I never even sucked a tooth at him, but just sat there and thought I was rating him at about a 2:12 gait. The mile was finished

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NEWS OF THE WHEELMEN.

Fitzsimmons Boxes for Women and Children at a Cyclist's Festival.

Bob Fitzsimmons gave a sparring exhibition such as probably neither he nor any other pugilist ever gave before. He boxed two short-round set-tos before an audience of about 1,500 persons composed mostly of women and children. The boys want wild with delight, and even the wormen and the girls seemed pleased. It came about through its being "Wheelmen's Day" at Bergen Beach. The management issued tickets lavishly to the cycling clubs and riders generally and the tickets had attached to them coupons that provided free enjoyment of all the carousseis and other attractions at the rlace, including a sight of Fitzsimmons "in training." Thousands of the tickets evidently fell into the hands of juveniles and women, and they began to come in 'any considerable number until evening. The Sutton and Mutual wheelmen were first to appear, and there was a generous sprinking of riders wellknown on the road and path, among the early arrivals. D. M. Adea, Alex Schwalbach and Will R. Pitman met, and one of the trio remarked:

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the Colonel would prefer to have Geers drive, thinking he received a better chance to win. I would have agreed without a word; but I felt hurt that such an elaborate plan should have been made to throw me off. I have not yet decided as to what I will do, but have offers under consideration which will probably be decided this week."

Eckers hails from Sedalla, Mo., and has handled good horses in his time, among them the gray trotting stallion Surpol, 2:10, and the trotting mare Kentucky Union, 2:07. He is known as a straightforward and honest reinsman. trottling mare Kentucky Union, 2:07, fle
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Secretary James M. Reilly of the Tri-State
Fair, to be held at the Guttenburg truck Sept.
18 to 22, has issued an attractive list of classes
and purses for the light harness horse. Two
free-for-all classes have been arranged for
the New York Road Drivers' Association and
the New York Road Horse Association. There
will also be a race for road riders' teams, all
for valuable silver cups. In addition to these
the classes are: 2:35, 2:14, 2:29, 2:50, 2:12, 2:17
2:30 and free-for-all trots; 2:15, 2:28, 2:20, 2:38
and a free-for-all trots; 2:16, 2:28, 2:20, 2:38
and a free-for-all for pacers.

Entries will
close on Sept. 4. Hopples will not be barred.

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The noted stallion Arion, 2:07%, and Greenbrino, 2:10%, have been entered at the Grand circuit meeting at Readville next week. Arion is in the 2:08 trot and Greenbrino in the 2:10, where he will meet Dare Devil, 2:09%, the best thing in the Village Farm string so far this season.

Charley Hoyt, who won at the Buffalo meeting last week and got a record of 2:07%, was sold in this city last November at the Fasig-Tipton sais, for 4:50. It was predicted at that time that he would take arecord of 2:07 or 2:08 this year. He has not only made the prediction good, but is more than likely to improve his mark. Hesis by Allerton, 2:00%, dam by Alcantara, a son of George Wilkes; granddam Nena, by Nutwood.

LEXINGTON, Aug. 16.—The harness racing here to-day was postponed on account of rain. The largest crowd in the history of the fair association was in attendance, it being estimated that 25,000 persons were on the grounds. A rainstorm marred the sport.

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On a Slow Track at Freeport,

FREEPORT, Aug. 16.—After being delayed two days on account of rain the summer meeting of the Freeport Driving Park Association opened this afternoon with a good attendance and splendid radiego considering the heavy track. Fast going was impossible and endurance was more essential than speed. Summaries: | Summaries: | 2:25 class, trotting: purse | \$5.00; | Mart Allerton, ch. g. by Allerton (West) | 1 | Gray Billie, gr. g. (Haines) | 2 | Lady Nestor, b. m. (Nolan) | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 2:2434. 2:27 class, pacing; purse \$500: Tog Williams, gr. g., by De Jarnette (Green) To the second of the s

Prince Alert Makes a New Race Record for Orange County.

New Burgh. Aug. 16.—This was the big day of the midsummer meeting of the Newburgh Driving Park Association. There were over 5.000 persons present, and the best racing ever seen in Orange county was exhibited. Not only was the track record of 2.1245, held by King of Diamonds, lowered to 2.07125, but the best race record ever made in Orange county, where so many fast horses have been bred and campaigned, was obtained by Prince Alert John R. Gentry 2.06 at Goshen was made in an exhibition. In the tinid heat of the 2.124 class the bay gelding King of Schenectady and Mike W. of Pishkill Landing collided. The King's sulky was broken to pleces, and the horse badly cut and distanced. Mike W as sulky also was broken but he got inside the fing. In the 2.29 class the bay gelding Robert B from New York was favorite before the start. He finished fourth in the first heat, after striking his knee and then was

drawn. The race of the day was the free for all. Prince Alert, Democracy and the gray station Exploit from Pittston, Pa, started. All are pacers. The Prince was favorite and he cut out the pace at the start of each heat and won handly. Summaries:

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2:24 class, trotting; purse \$4400;
All Right, b. g., by Enr., ht (Shear)...
Peter Swit, br. g. (Hayden)
Brigham Belle, b. s. (Farrison)
Mike W., eb. g. (Prinkerhoff)
Little Mand, b. m. (Harrison)
Willow, ch. s. (Milier)
Lottie, ch. m. (Newdecker)
Roman, b. g. (Goslin)
Quarter Note, br. g. (Murphy)
Delibar, b. g. (Smith)
Nellie May, blk. m. (Coyne)
Ambo, br. m. (Lyman)
Paul Smith, b. g. (Thompson).
King, ch. g. (Rafferty)
Free for all, trotting and pacing; purse Free for all, trotting and pacing; purse \$1,000; Prince Alert (pacer), b. g., by Crown Prince— Till, pedigree untraced (Walker)....... 2:20 class, pacing; purse \$400; Council Chimes, blk s (Perrin) Jack Fullerton, b. g. (Gardner)
Flaver Boy, br. s. (Miller)
Robert B., b. g. (Spear)
Time-2:2114, 2:1914, 2:21.

SEARCHLIGHT IN THE LEAD.

Wins a Hard-Fought Race at Glens Falls

-Lody Geraldine Beats Frank Creamer. GLENS FALLS, Aug. 16 .- It was after 4 o'clock before the horses were started in the Grand Cfreuit meeting this afternoon. It had rained hard during the night, and the track was from three to four seconds slow when the racing began. The favorites continued to be bowled over. In the unfinished 2:19 trot, with a heat

grin. The favorites continued to be bowled over. In the unfinished 2:19 trot, with a heat credited to Lady Geraldine and to Frank Creamer, Maggie Anderson still remained favorite. In the third heat she made two breaks which put her out of it and Geraldine won it easily. Maggie went for the fourth heat, but before the three-quarter post was reached Maggie acted badly, leaving Geraldine an easy winner.

Anaconda was an even favorite against the field in the 2:04 pace; which afforded some of the best racing of the season. In the first heat Frank Bogash followed Anaconda the most of the way around and drove him out at the finish. Bogash hollowed Anaconda the most of the way around and drove him out at the finish. Bogash hollowed Anaconda the most of the way around and drove him out at the finish. Bogash hollowed Anaconda the most of the way around and drove him out at the finish. Bogash hollowed Anaconda to the pace in the next heat Anaconda caught the lead on the turn and headed the field down the side and around to the wire with Searchlight and Bogash followed Anaconda's time for pacing and he did it. The fourth heat was the sensational feature, Searchlight and the long mile to go, Vith an even start the followed anaconda making the fight. The former, a 5 to 1 shot, won.

Nigger Jack was played to win the 2:14 trot by the talent, he selling for \$25\$ to \$20 for the field. He led all the way the first time and wen services and was not headed for the mile. Summaries:

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2:04 class, pacing: two in three heats; purse \$1,000: Searchlight br. s., by Darknight-Nora Mapes, by Furor (McCarthy) 3 1 3 1 4naconda b. g. (McHenry) 2 3 1 2 Frank Bogasa, br. s. (Golden) 1 2 2 3 Chenails, bis. m. (O'Nell) 4 4 10. Time=2:07, 2:0734, 2:0836, 2:0734.

2:14 class, trotting: purse \$1,500 (unfinished);
Neil Gwynne, gr. m., by Aleryon (Bathbun) 5
Nigger Jack, bik. r., by Cyclone (Arthur) 1
Dot Miller, b. m. (McDonaid) 4
Iris O., b. m. (McCail) 2
Dainty Daffo, bik. m. (Baldwin) 6
Allec Barnes, b. m. (Noble) 5
Teto, b. m. (Burch) 7 di

2.20 class, pacing; purse \$5.00:
Pon, b. g., by Plucg (Croy)
Ida K., b. m. (Kelly)
John W. b. g. (Teare)
Hoakhanarando, b. g. (Hunter)
Annie Hartman, b. m. (Herman)
Miss Nestor, b. m. (Bronson)
Stark b. m. (Geosge)

Time-2:18, 2:1996, 2:20, 2:2096, 2:209

Time=2:25½, 2:21½, 2:25.

2:16 class, pacing; purse \$300 (unfinished):
Dalsy Elder, gr. m. by Hox Elder (Heidrick).
Jeste L., b. m. by Montaigne (Guyette).
Black Cecil, bik. m. (Walters).

Col. Dick Thompson, b. g. (Murphy).
Lady Garnet, br. m. (Meyer).
J. R. J., ch. g. (Joch).

Time=2:15¼, 2:16½.

Champion Jeffries Objects to Coaching by ASBURY PARK, Aug. 16.—Champion James

J. Jeffries still continues to do light training potwithstanding that he has no fight in view To-day he skipped the rope several hundred times and took a turn at punching the bag. times and took a turn at punching the bag. The Champion is in thorough accord with the comment in The Sun this morning that coaching at the ringside except during the intermission of rounds should be stopped.

"I don't want anybody shouting at me while I am fighting," said Jeffries, "as it gives me the ratties and often gets me confused. Coaching between rounds is all well enough, and I approve of it, but I want it to go no further."

It seems surprising to the bollermaker that referees have paid so little attention to this clause of the Marquis of Queensberry rules, as he thinks it very important and should be strictly adhered to.

Jeffries is studying the part of Silent Sam in the new drama, "A Man From the West," which has been written especially for him.

Ripple Wins the Cup.

The third and what proved to be the deciding race for the Owners trophy was sailed yesterday on Gravesend Bay in a piping southeasterly wind. The course was about eleven miles long, from a mark boat off Bensonhurst Park to and around a beat in the ship channel and back to Sea Gate. The starters in their order of crossing were: Wrinkle, Frederick G. Bourne; Ricardo, Henry J. Seaman; Ripple, George K. Brown, Kismet, Samuel D. Sanders; Katie G., W. E. Waters; Emma D., Frank G. Damerr; Holy Smoke, Edward F. Girard. On the first leg the Ricardo got the lead and they went around the first mark as follows; Ricardo, Wrinkle and Ripple. The others were bunched a few lengths in the rear of those named. The Bipple came to time in the next run to the second mark, getting well up on her rivals, and in the free run to the finish she passed all hands and won by a safe margin, with the Ricardo second and Wrinkle third. miles long, from a mark boat off Bensonhurst

The members of the Canarsie Yacht Club will have a Corinthian race to morrow afternoon, starting at 2:30 o'clock. There will be an aquatic carrival at the Atlantic Yacht Club to-morrow. The programme will in-clude distance swimming and tub races and fancy swimming and diving. The sixth annual regatta of the Huntington Yacht Club will be sailed to-morrow. There will be races for all classes from the 51-footers down. They will be started at 11:30 o'clock and race over the course in the harbor.

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The fourth annual open regatta of the Penataquit-Corinthian Yacht Club will be sailed off Bay Shore to-marrow. Entries will close this evening with Richard A. Each's, chairman of the Regatta Committee. There will be races for all classes under 46 feet. The start will be made at 11 o'clock.

The races for the Robert Center Memorial prizes will be sailed on Aug. 25 off the Seawanhaka-Corinthian Yacht Clubhouse. The contests will be for raceabouts and Seawanhaka knockabouts owned by members of the club, and the yachts will go over throckabout Course No. 1, a distance of 124, nautical miles. The start will be at 3 o'clock.

Newport Aug. 16.—The auxillary yacht, inmiles. The start will be at 3 o'clock.

NEWPORT. Aug. 16.—The auxiliary yacht, intepld, owned by Mr. Lloyd Phenix, brought the small knockabout Phinne from outside this afternoon under tow. The interpld was out for a sail and the Phinne was found with her ensign hoisted upside down, and on going alongside it was found that her mant was split, which rendered her helpless. There was quite a sea running at the time and it was very fortunate that the intrepid was at hand to render assistance.

CLOSE TENNIS AT NEWPORT FOUR FAVORIT'S WIN MATCHES BY

NARROW MARGINS IN CHAM-PIONSHIP SINGLES. Black and Gore, the English Experts, Beat

Opponents in the Second Round, but Their Form Is Disappointing - Allen Beaten After Winning a Love Set From Davis. NEWPORT, Aug. 16 .- The third day's play in the National Championship Lawn Tennis Tournament at the Casino here to-day was the most sensational day's tenuis seen in America in many seasons. Not that there were any marked upsets, for all of the eight favorite ultimately won their matches in the second round of the championship singles. Four of the cracks picked to win got into trouble and pleaty of it, and at one time there were three matches going on at the same time, with the scores standing at two sets to one against the

men who eventually won.

The chief interest of the day centred in the doings of the visiting British experts, Black and Gore, and the play of both was a big disappolatment. When they made such a weak showing at Longwood last week in the international matches it was argued that they had not become accustomed to the new conditions, nor were they rid of their "sea legs."

Gore had Haicombe Ward for an antagonist. They played on the championship court before the grandstand, not because Ward was expected to make any showing against the formidable British base-line expert, but because the crowd wanted to see the visitor play. It was a com-

Two other enterprises were also in store for the crowd, for young Allen of Yale gave Dwight Davis an awful scare, and Colins, the Western champion, came very close to bearing Beals Wright. Both Davis and Wright are rated as absolutely first class this season; in fact they are considered two of the four leaders of the country's experts, while neither Allen nor Collins was thought to be in their class. Nevertheless each of the outsiders had a lead of two sets to one against the layorite opposed to him, and each made a good fight up to the last point. Allen took the second set against Davis & to love, then took the third and in the fourth had a lead of 4-8 and 40-15, only finally to lose the match in live sets.

JEFFRIES CONSIDERED HASTY.

Fitzsimmons Says if the Champion Doesn's Fight Re Will Demand His Lost Laurels. Champion Jim Jeffries does not appear to be acting in a way calculated to convince the public that he is sincere in his desire to fight the winner of the Fitzsimmons-Sharkey fight on Aug. 31. He says he is unwilling to keep on training until after Fitz and the Sailor have settled their differences one week from tonight, at which time the winner of that encounter can definitely say whether he will be

night, at which time the winner of that encounter can definitely say whether he will be fit to tackle the champion one week later. When William A. Brady, in behalf of Jeffries, issued a sweeping ded the other day it was taken to mean that Jeffries was spolling for an argument. Fitzsimmons, who is expected by the knowing ones to beat Sharkey, accepted the offer made by Brady, so that it was up to Jeffries to keep on training until after Aug. 24. If at that time the winner of the Fitz-Sharkey mill should be incapacitated from fighting so soon again, Jeffries would then be at liberty to declare everything off and also to cease training.

But Jeffries has seen fit to show surprising impatience. He says he will not wait and that he will not fight again for a year. Fitzsimmons declares that if he whips Sharkey and Jeffries refuses to meet him on Aug. 31, he (Fitz) will declare himself champion of the world. If Jeffries wants to fight Fitzsimmons or Sharkey before Sept. I in this State, he has only to walt one week to find out definitely. An unwillingness to do this would probably be taken to mean that Jeffries doesn't want to fight at all—at least until he can get himself into first-class physical condition. And thereby hangs a tale. It is said that Jeffries is away out of form and that he knows he cannot get right in the short space of two weeks. Fitzsimmons's remarkable showing against Ruhlin, it is believed, threw a scare into the Jeffries camp, so that a complicated challenge was immediately forthcoming.

Jeffries weighed 208 pounds when he beat Fitzsimmons and the latter was not at his best, according to competent judges. Fitz is a hundred per cent, better now, while Jeffries will have a hard time to make so light a weight again. Possibly that is the reason why the champion is quibbling. Jeffries has been booked for a long theatrical tour, which, in the event of an unexpected set-back at the hands of the sturdy Cornishman, might not prove so profitable. At any rate, it seems reasonable on the part of Fitzsimmons

Wesley Lake Boat Carnival.

ASBURY PARK, Aug. 16.-The Wesley Lake boat carnival was considered the finest marine procession ever given here. Nearly 100,000 people lined the banks of the lake and for an hour and a half were treated to a speciacle of kaleidoscopic beauty. The prizes were won as follows:

follows:

First, M. Sax Master's Helen Gould; second, Derrick Hoagland's Masthower; third, Charles Wilkin's Soild Comfort; fourth Henry Bog's Liberty Bell; fitth, Arthur Wirka't's Golumbia. J. A. Wainwright received the first prize for the best lawn decorations. Sportsman's Goods.



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